待望のコミックス第4巻は11月下旬発売予定！

WITH HOW MUCH OF THEIR COUNTRY IS COVERED IN FORESTS, I IMAGINE THEY HAVE A TOUGH TIME DEALING WITH MONSTERS.
BUT AREN'T WE PRETTY MUCH ON TRENTRIETTA'S LAND HERE?
YOU SURE BOUGHT A LOT.
APPARENTLY THE METHOD FOR MAKING THEM WAS DISCOVERED AND NOW FONCLANC'S DOCTORS ARE SELLING THEM.
HERE. TAKE THIS. THEY'RE POTIONS MADE IN FONCLANC.
IF WE DON'T FIND ANYTHING... THE SEARCH WILL BE CALLED OFF.
ANYWAYS... ONCE WE FIND THE NEST WE'LL DEAL WITH IT THE USUAL WAY.
AND THEY'RE HALF THE PRICE ON TOP OF THAT.
WELL THEY'RE 20~30% BETTER THAN THE NOSSENTES ONES

IN ANY CASE WE JUST NEED TO FULFILL OUR END OF THE DEAL
SO LET'S GET IT OVER WITH
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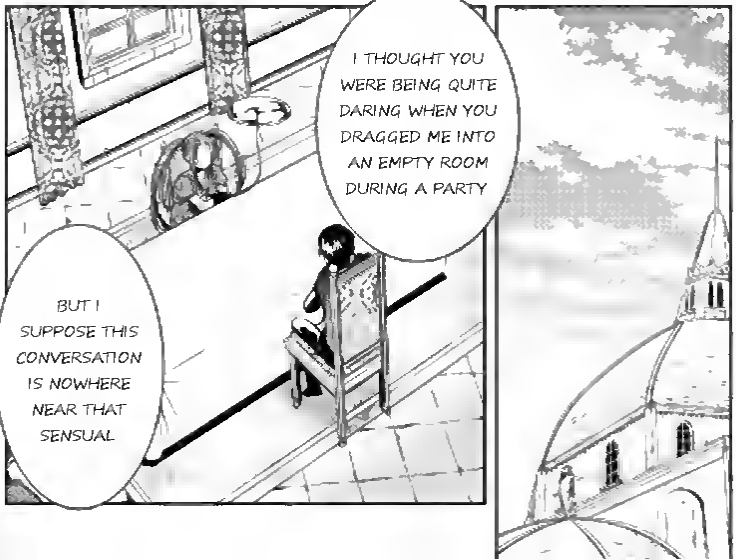
I'VE DETECTED THREE OF THEM!
THREE OF THEM IN A PLACE LIKE THIS?
THERE MIGHT BE MORE DEEPER IN THE FOREST BE CAREFUL
...HM?

HEY DO YOU GUYS FEEL THAT WEIRD AURA?
YEAH IT'S MESSING WITH MY WIND ARTS.
I'VE GOT A BAD FEELING ABOUT THIS... LET'S GET OUT OF HERE


I THOUGHT YOU WERE BEING QUITE DARING WHEN YOU DRAGGED ME INTO AN EMPTY ROOM DURING A PARTY
BUT I SUPPOSE THIS CONVERSATION IS NOWHERE NEAR THAT SENSUAL

RIGHT...
SO WHAT IS IT?
WELL EVERYONE WILL STILL MISUNDERSTAND THIS THOUGH
UM... I HEARD THAT MISS LASANAASHA HAS LOTS OF CONNECTIONS
MISS LAAZASSHIA IS GOOD AT MAKING MEDICINES
AND EVERYONE IN THE DARK GOD SQUAD HELPS YOU A LOT...
BUT I JUST SPEND ALL MY TIME IN THE MANSION...
SO I THOUGHT ABOUT IT AND...
I WANT TO JOIN THE DARK GOD SQUAD TOO!

DESPITE HOW CALM SHE SEEMS, SUN IS SURPRISINGLY ACTIVE

I SEE...
SO SIMPLY BEING BY YOUR SIDE IS NOT ENOUGH

YOU ALWAYS SEEM TO BE LIVELY AND BOLD BUT DEEP DOWN YOU'RE PRETTY DELICATE AND SENSITIVE

SHE'S YOUR POLAR OPPOSITE
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY THAT?

OW!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
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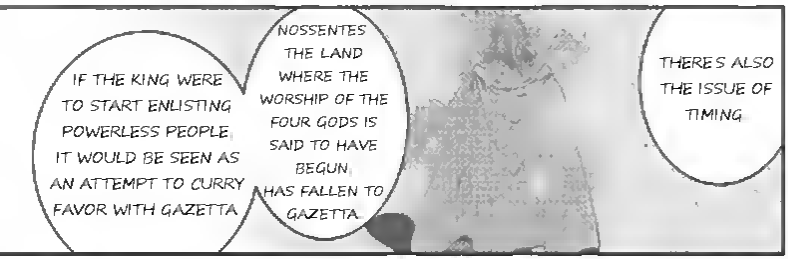
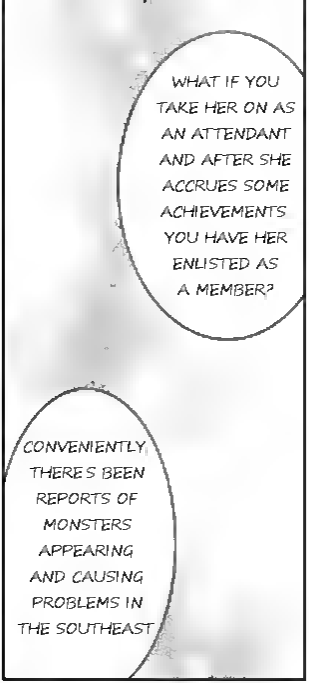
SO EVEN IF YOU'RE ASKING HIM, HE CAN'T JUST ALLOW A POWERLESS PERSON TO JOIN WITHOUT A GOOD REASON
YES, AGENTS ARE BESTOWED THEIR POSITIONS BY THE KING
AHEM IN ANY CASE, THAT WILL NOT BE SIMPLE


IF THE KING WERE TO START ENLISTING POWERLESS PEOPLE, IT WOULD BE SEEN AS AN ATTEMPT TO CURRY FAVOR WITH GAZETTA
NOSSENTES, THE LAND WHERE THE WORSHIP OF THE FOUR GODS IS SAID TO HAVE BEGUN, HAS FALLEN TO GAZETTA
THERE'S ALSO THE ISSUE OF TIMING

YOU'RE PASSING IT OFF TO ME?
INDEED, WHAT WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA, KREIVOL?
LET'S SEE...

WELL, MY SQUAD DOESN'T REALLY HAVE ANY STRONG OPINIONS ABOUT POWERLESS PEOPLE...
ANYWAYS, I GUESS I'LL NEED TO FIND A REASON

IF YOU HEAD THERE TO DEAL WITH IT UNDER THE PRETENSE OF INVESTIGATING THE MATTER YOU CAN QUELL SOME OF THE PUBLIC BACKLASH
WELL... IT'LL MOSTLY BE A DEPLOYMENT FOR THE SAKE OF APPEARANCE... MONSTERS HAVEN'T SHOWN UP NEAR MAJOR ROADS IN A LONG TIME


WHAT IF YOU TAKE HER ON AS AN ATTENDANT AND AFTER SHE ACCRUES SOME ACHIEVEMENTS YOU HAVE HER ENLISTED AS A MEMBER?
CONVENIENTLY THERE'S BEEN REPORTS OF MONSTERS APPEARING AND CAUSING PROBLEMS IN THE SOUTHEAST

MONSTERS HUH...

IT SEEMS LIKE KREIVOL HAS COME TO ACCEPT THIS SORT OF STUFF...

WHY NOT DO IT? IT IS NOT THAT DANGEROUS AND SUN CAN HANDLE A BOW
PRINCESS IT'S NECESSARY TO OBTAIN THE KING'S PERMISSION TO HAVE HER FOLLOW THEM FIRST

I WILL ALLOW IT
ARE YOU SURE ABOUT THIS? CONSIDER THE RUMORS NOW THAT GAZETTA IS GAINING POWER
WHILE SHE MAY BE JUST AN ATTENDANT, SHE'LL BE ATTACHED TO ONE OF OUR SPECIAL SQUADS.
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THE WHITE CLAN, THE EVIL GOD AND THE LIES OF THE FOUR GODS
IT IS FINE THAT GIRL IS CONNECTED TO ZESHALD AND THERE ARE NO PROBLEMS WITH HER BACKGROUND
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IF ANYTHING THIS HAS COME AT THE PERFECT TIME.

QUEEN RISHALEUS TOLD ME ABOUT THE HISTORY OF CALTSIO AND THE EVIL GOD...

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THE EVIL GOD'S APPEARANCE WILL BRING ABOUT CHANGE
近い将来、カルツィオ全体に影響を与える
A MASSIVE CHANGE THAT WILL AFFECT ALL OF CALTSIO IN THE NEAR FUTURE

既に大きな災いを乗り越えるためには、柔軟な対応力が必要になってくるだろう
IF WE ARE TO OVERCOME THE CALAMITY WE WILL NEED THE FLEXIBILITY TO HANDLE LARGE CHANGES TO SOCIETY
――これもすべてフォンクランクの未来を存続させるために
IT'S ALL FOR THE SAKE OF FONCLANC'S FUTURE

THANK YOU BUT... DOESN'T THIS MEAN THAT ANYTHING I ACHIEVE IS THANKS TO YOUR POWER?
IF IT WASN'T FOR MY EQUIPMENT, I WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO DO ANYTHING THOUGH
THAT'S TRUE...
WELL I ADDED A BUNCH OF EFFECTS TO YOUR EQUIPMENT
Y-YOU AGREE WITH THAT?
HUH? WHAT'S WRONG MR. YUUSUKE?
CAPTAIN SORRY TO INTERRUPT YOUR FLIRTING... BUT WE'RE READY TO MOVE OUT!
WE'RE NOT FLIRTING!

HAHA! ISN'T BEING ABLE TO MAKE USE OF THE EFFECTS ALSO INDICATIVE OF YOUR ABILITIES?
EVEN IF IT'S NOT OUR OWN POWER IF WE CAN HELP THE CAPTAIN... IT'S FINE.

IT'S JUST LIKE YOU TO FOCUS ON HELPING THE CAPTAIN RATHER THAN THE SQUAD.

I GUESS SO...
I'LL DO MY BEST TO HELP HIM TOO

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HUH? UM... I'M SORRY! I'LL HELP EVERYONE ELSE AS WELL!
FONKE DON'T MESS WITH HER

QUITE THE HEAVY MOOD HERE.
YOU THINK THEY REALLY DID APPEAR?
IT'S POSSIBLE BUT IT MIGHT JUST BE BANDITS.
THERE'S A LOT OF MERCENARIES AROUND EVEN THOUGH WE DON'T KNOW IF THERE REALLY ARE MONSTERS AROUND HERE
WELCOME. I'M THE HEAD OF THE LOCAL BRANCH OF THE COMMERCE GUILD
FOR NOW, LET'S ASK AROUND

I DIDN'T THINK THE DARK GOD SQUAD WOULD BE SENT HERE
TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH WE HIRED SOME EXPERIENCED ADVENTURERS TO DO AN INVESTIGATION
BUT THE LAST THING WE HEARD FROM THEM WAS A REQUEST FOR REINFORCEMENTS
HMM... THAT DOESN'T SOUND GOOD
WE'RE RELYING ON ADVENTURERS AND MERCENARIES TO GUARD THE TOWN
BUT GIVEN THE TIMING IT'S HARD GATHERING WIND ARTISTS...
WHY IS IT HARD TO GATHER THEM?
WITH GAZETTA'S RECENT MOVEMENTS ANYONE GOOD AT INFORMATION GATHERING IS ALREADY TAKEN
I SEE... HMM...
ALRIGHT... WE'LL GO AND INVESTIGATE... SO PLEASE HAVE THE MERCENARIES READY TO REACT TO WHATEVER HAPPENS.

IF WE'RE DEALING WITH BANDITS...
IT'S DANGEROUS TO HAVE AN ARCHER WHO HASN'T TAKEN ANOTHER PERSON'S LIFE BEFORE

LOOKS LIKE SUN'S GONNA END UP IN A BATTLE STRAIGHT AWAY

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AM I JUST IN THE WAY HERE?
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……EVEN SO、も

SHE'D ONLY STARTED TO USE THE BOW WHEN SHE MOVED OUT OF THE VILLAGE

SHE'LL BE AN EASY TARGET FOR THEM. HAVE YOU GONE HUNTING OR DONE ANY TRAINING BEFORE?
I'VE ONLY SHOT TARGETS WITH PRINCESS VOLET BEFORE...

I'LL BE FINE!

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てる…
THEY'RE NOT TELLING ME TO STAY HERE IN TOWN.

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POWERLESS PEOPLE ARE KNOWN TO BE GOOD IN COMBAT WITH A WEAPON
WE ARE LACKING PEOPLE WHO SPECIALIZE IN OFFENSE ANYWAYS
WELL IF SHE'S THAT DETERMINED IT SHOULD BE FINE

WE'LL START TOMORROW WILL YOU BE ALRIGHT WITH THAT?

YES

DID THESE PEOPLE EVEN REALIZE WHAT THEY WERE?

NO
I THINK THE RESEARCHERS DID THAT ON THEIR OWN.
THE DIVINE COUNCIL PROBABLY DIDN'T EVEN KNOW ABOUT IT.

IS THIS...
ALSO THE DIVINE COUNCIL'S DOING?

ALSO, THE DIVINE ARTISTS DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE ANCIENT HISTORY THAT THE WHITE CLAN HAS INHERITED.
THERE HAVE BEEN MANY RULERS THROUGHOUT THE AGES THAT BECAME INDISCRIMINATE AFTER BEGINING THEIR PURSUIT.

BECAUSE THIS WAS BEFORE THAT EVIL GOD (YUUSUKE) APPEARED HE DOESN'T APPEAR RELATED
THEY PROBABLY NEVER EVEN CONSIDERED THAT THE CURRENT PROSPEROUS AGE MIGHT END.
THEY ENGAGED IN RESEARCH THAT WOULD END THEM BECAUSE THEY DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE PAST.

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... ACCORDING TO THESE DOCUMENTS THEIR RESEARCH WAS SUPPORTED BY AN ILLEGAL ORGANIZATION
IT IS A FACT THAT HIS EXISTENCE IS THE REASON THAT THE DIVINE COUNCILS NOSSENTES FELL
... ISN'T HE UNRELATED?

THIS'LL RESULT IN A CALAMITY FOR THE DIVINE ARTISTS
AND THE RESEARCH
WHILE THERE AREN'T MANY DETAILS ON THAT ORGANIZATION, MOST OF THE RESEARCHERS HAVE GONE OVER THERE
... AS THE KING OF GAZETTA I SUPPOSE I SHOULD BE HAPPY ABOUT THAT NEWS...
2400 YEARS AGO THE BLACK EVIL GOD APPEARED AND CAUSED OUR CIVILIZATION TO DECLINE THIS MAY RESULT IN US BECOMING PROSPEROUS YET AGAIN

SO THIS IS WHERE THEY LOST CONTACT WITH THEM...
CAPTAIN, LOOK
NO, I DON'T SENSE ANYONE
IS THERE ANYONE AROUND?

MONSTER FOOTPRINTS
THESE ARE
FROM WHAT I CAN SEE THERE'S AT LEAST THREE OF THEM
WELL, IF IT'S JUST ONE WE CAN HANDLE IT
SERIOUSLY?
I THINK I'LL BUILD A DEFENSIVE WALL HERE JUST IN CASE
C-CAPTAIN!
S-SOMEONE'S COMING!
I JUST NEED SOME TIME!
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